

Loaves and Fishes.  
From The Barns Horn.  
Little boats are seldom stranded.

Politeness never has a stiff neck.

Faith does not rest on the bed of fancy.

Don't shear a goat to get fine wool.

Investigation is a cure for prejudice.

Every blessing brings an obligation.

Heart-worship will mean hand-work.

Friendship is a mortgage on principle.

The real N. G. man is the No God man.

Hypocrisy will be below par in the day of judgment.

Men are saved by character; but it is Christ's and not theirs.

Truth never loses any of its power by being spoken in love.

If you have been with Jesus, every one will know it.

You need to watch yourself when you are alone.

There is no fool so sad a fool as the smart fool.

Don't stand on your dignity; it will wilt at the judgment.

Living like Christ, will make others want to live for Him.

The man who is found ever praying, is found ever prepared.

Your destiny will be decided independent of your funeral sermon.

The man who gives to God, will never have to complain of ingratitude.

The heart regulates the life. Get the heart right, and your life is sure to be.

Laying the ax to the branches instead of "the root of the tree," will not keep new ones from sprouting.

The death of each drunkard means the drafting of another boy to the ranks of the saloon.

Don't preach patience to the people, and practice petulance at home.

The profundity of man's thought is not always equal to the depth of his silence.

Do your little duties in a large way, and God will trust you with greater ones.

Converting shirkers into workers, absorbs more time than changing sinners into saints.

The world judges the church from the level of the pew, rather than from the standard of the pulpit.

The man who cannot change his opinion, belongs either to the grave or the asylum.

The important thing is not what men say about you, but what you make them believe.

Holiday Rates Via M. K. & T. Ry.

On Dec. 24-25-26 and 31st 1898 and January 1-2 1899, the M. K. & T. will sell round trip tickets to all stations within 200 miles at one fare for round trip, maximum for 50 cents tickets, good for return until January 4th 1899. Arrange for your Holiday vacation with friends and take the popular M. K. & T. and enjoy comforts with your vacation and pleasure.

L. M. TOOKER, Agt.

When President McKinley places negroes in office in New York and Massachusetts, then it will be time to discuss the colored question in the south.

So far it has been demonstrated that the northern people have less use for a negro and will put up with less from him than a southern man will.

Poor Billy McKinley.

Andrew Carnegie, the heaviest exporter in America, is still pouring hot shot into the administration and his party. He says "I am a protectionist to the core." "My plant is the heaviest exporting concern in this country." Then he says "The men in Washington today are so immersed in problems which have nothing to do with the prosperity of their own country that they have no time to consider subjects bearing upon it. They have eaten the insane root of expansion in distant continents; they are dreaming dreams, chasing phantoms and in one stroke of the pen the President of the United States has innocently given over the trade of the Philippines to foreign nations. The open door to the foreigner, means the closed door to the United States." The above contains half dozen sermons on McKinleyism, Dingleyism, and high tariffism, a protective tariff, Carnegie, one of the "fat fryers" and most extensive business men in America laid low and kept quiet, but he has more native ability than McKinley and his combined Cabinet, therefore sees that a protective tariff is drifting to a point where Republicanism must go down with it. Carnegie, a commercial man is fighting for the hundreds upon hundreds of thousands of dollars that this country has paid him without expecting an equivalent while McKinley and his Cabinet are playing village ward politics. Carnegie is fighting what he terms an "open door." Give us an "open door" and the death warrant of trusts has been signed, sealed and the American people will be free.

What can a glass of wine do? Many believe that because ex-Gov. Johnson, of Georgia, took a glass of wine the national democracy was disrupted in 1860 and put two tickets in the field. This made certain the election of Lincoln and the country was plunged into the civil war which cost this country so much blood and money. As told by the Atlanta Constitution a Georgia Democratic convention was in session. The party leaders could not agree. It was a critical period. The majority report endorsed the seceders or bolters at Charleston, S. C. The minority report opposed their action. H. V. Johnson was the leading champion of the minority. His followers were confident that his eloquence and logic would carry the day and it is quite likely such would have been the case but for his fatal mistake. He began his speech at a morning session and concluded after dinner. Before dinner it is said the speech was a powerful argument and prospects were that those who were for the majority report would desert to the minority. Gov. Johnson did not eat anything at dinner and took a glass of wine on an empty stomach to strengthen himself. This proved to be a fatal mistake because when the speech was resumed Gov. Johnson was verbose and unintelligible and his style lacked vigor and from that time it was certain that the majority report would be adopted as the speaker had damaged the cause.

Sewing Machine oil and needles at WALKERS, the jeweler.

## Trustee's Sale.

WHEREAS, John M. Redman and Dovie I. Redman, his wife, by their certain Deed of Trust dated the 15th day of April, 1896, and recorded in the Recorder's office of Monroe County, Missouri, at Book 27, page 58, conveyed to the undersigned W. R. P. Jackson, Trustee, all the following described Real Estate situated in the County of Monroe, State of Missouri, viz: All of a frontage of Twenty (20) feet and three and one-fourth (3 1/4) inches on Main Street, running back one hundred and fourteen (114) feet described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at a point Three Hundred and Twenty-Nine (229) feet South of the center of the track of the H. & St. Jo. Railroad and Twenty (20) feet East of the Range Line, between seven (7) and eight (8), running thence north and parallel with the said Range line and Twenty (20) feet East therefrom, twenty feet (20) and three and one-fourth (3 1/4) inches, thence thence East at right angles with said Range Line One Hundred and Fourteen (114) feet thence South Twenty (20) feet and three and one-fourth (3 1/4) inches, thence west one hundred and fourteen (114) feet more or less to the beginning, said land being in the northeast quarter of section Eighteen (18) in Township Fifty-Six (56) Range Seven (7), west located in Monroe City, Missouri. Which said conveyance was made in trust to secure the payment of the certain promissory note in said deed described, and whereas the said note has become due and remains unpaid, now therefore, in accordance with the provisions of said Deed of Trust, and at the request of the legal holder of said note, will proceed to sell the above described Real Estate at the court house door in the city of Paris, in the County of Monroe, State aforesaid, to the highest bidder for cash, at public auction, on

Saturday, the 17th of Dec., 1898

between the hours of nine in the forenoon and one in the afternoon of that day to satisfy said note, together with the cost and expense of executing this trust.

W. R. P. JACKSON, Trustee.

Dated this 22d day of Nov., 1898.

## Sheriff's Sale

In Partition.

STATE OF MISSOURI) ss.  
County of Monroe.)

By virtue and authority of an order and decree of the circuit court of Monroe County, Mo., Robt. H. Smithley, Sheriff of Monroe County, Missouri, certified and delivered and made and entered at the October term 1898 in said Court in the partition suit wherein Legora R. Jacobs, et al are Plaintiffs, et al are Defendants, I will sell at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash in hand at the west front door of the court house in the city of Paris.

The 22nd day of December 1898.

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon, of that day and during the session of the adjourned October term of the said Circuit Court, the following described real estate, situated in the County of Monroe and State of Missouri, to-wit: Twenty feet of the east side of lot eleven, all of lot twelve and the west half of lot thirteen, in block eight of Peoria's addition to the city of Monroe, as the same is platted and recorded.

ROBT. H. SMITHLEY, Sheriff.

Monroe County, Mo.

Winter Work for Farmers.

The Agricultural Department of the State University offers work this winter for farmers, dairymen and horticulturist that will do much to improve the agriculture of Missouri. If properly appreciated by the public. This work begins January 3, 1899, and continues twelve weeks. It is a training school in the best up-to-date methods of general farming, stock growing, breeding and feeding, dairying, fruit growing and gardening. The work is entirely practical and the results of previous sessions of this school have clearly shown that any farmer of reasonable intelligence will be able to use the information gained there profitably throughout the remainder of his life. Even experienced and successful farmers and horticulturists have found many things of great value to them in these courses. The tuition is free and the course is open to all without entrance examinations. The young men and young women of this county who expect to farm should not neglect this opportunity of posting themselves on the best up-to-date methods of farming. Send to the University for an illustrated catalogue of these courses, and begin your preparation to attend this winter.

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" 4-Chicago & St. C. Exp. .... 2:51 p. m.  
" 6-Brookfield to Q'cy & Han. .... 9:37 a. m.  
" 16-St. Louis K. G. & Denver .... 3:07 p. m.  
" 22-Local Freight ..... 1:55 p. m.

WEST.  
" 55-Chicago & St. C. Exp. .... 2:19 a. m.  
" 5-Chicago & St. C. Exp. .... 1:19 p. m.  
" 5-Q'cy & Han. to Brookfield .... 7:13 p. m.  
" 14-St. Louis, K. C. & Denver .... 1:11 a. m.  
" 31-Local Freight ..... 10:55 a. m.  
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No. 21-Passenger ..... 1:11 p. m.  
" 21-Passenger ..... 12:32 p. m.  
" 21-Local Freight ..... 8:15 p. m.

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No. 21-Passenger ..... 12:17 a. m.  
" 21-Passenger ..... 2:08 p. m.  
" 21-Local Freight ..... 6:10 p. m.  
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Monroe City, Mo.

Money Will Burn.

The grand total of appropriations made by this congress at the regular session last spring aggregates \$893,231,615. It is now assumed that at the short session beginning next month, that the appropriations of the Fifty fifth Congress will amount to one and a half billion of dollars.

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